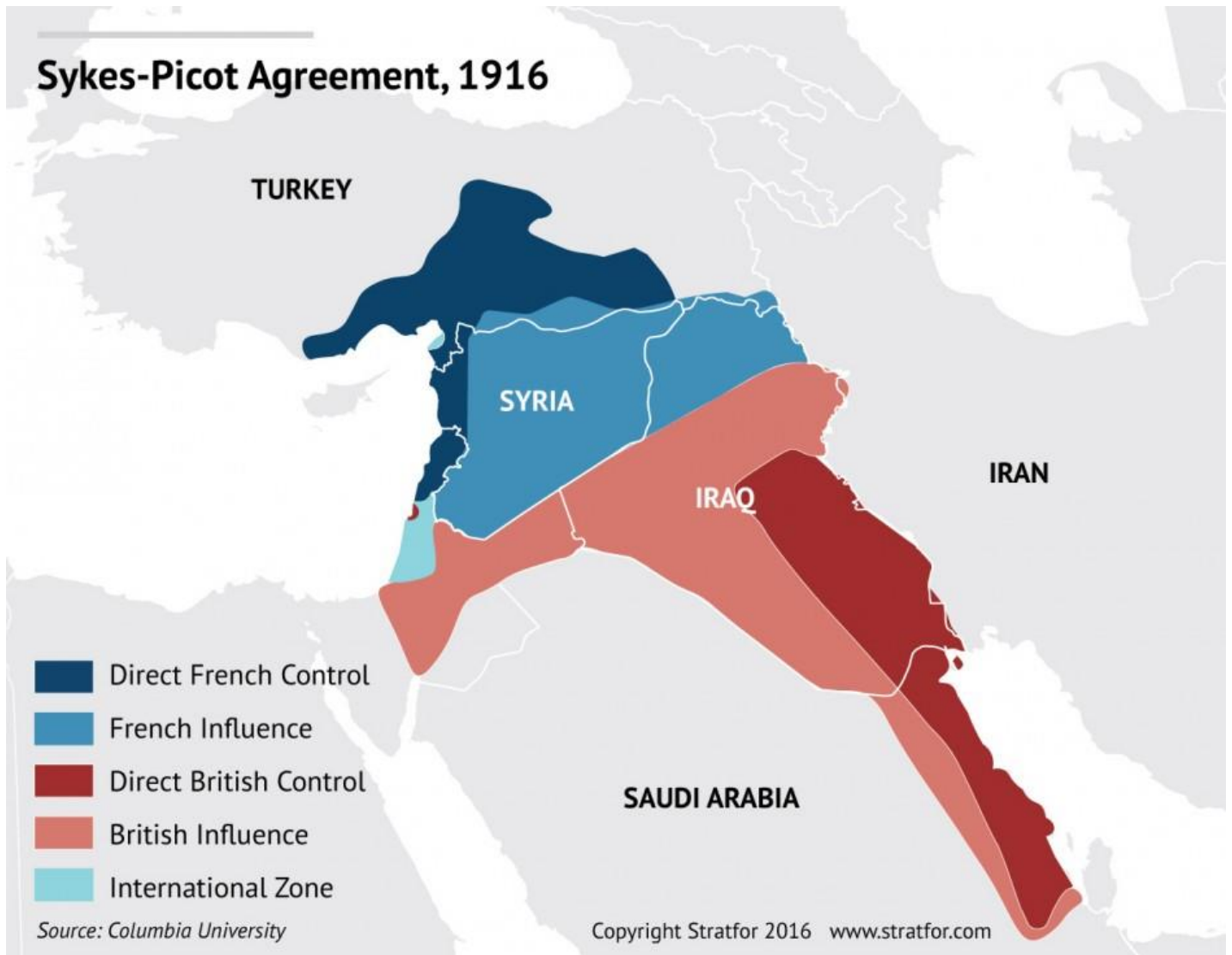
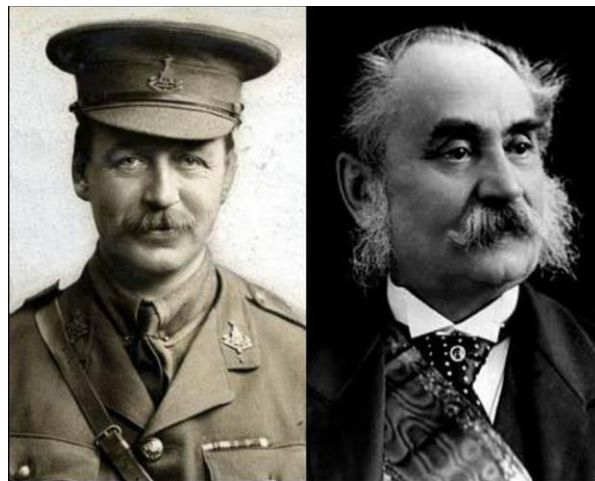


Sykes-Picot Agreement, 1916



**Sir Tatton Benvenuto
Mark Sykes, 6th Baronet**

(16 March 1879 –
16 February 1919)



**François Marie Denis
Georges-Picot**

(21 December 1870 –
20 June 1951)

The Sykes–Picot Agreement, drawn up while World War 1 was in progress, involved the partitioning of the Ottoman Empire by Britain, France and Russia.